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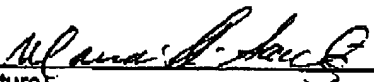
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2005. Please amend the above application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.